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## LODGE SUBMITS PEACE OFFERING

BRINGS IN SUBSTITUTE RESERVATION FOR MUCH DEBATED ARTICLE 10 TODAY

By the Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, March 12.—A substitute for the Republican Article 10 reservation to the Peace Treaty was introduced in the senate today by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, Republican leader. In general it follows the form of the draft agreed on several days ago in the non-partisan compromise negotiations.

When the reservation was offered, it was declared among the Republicans that the negotiators had lined up almost enough voters to ratify the Treaty on that basis, but final agreement had not yet been reached.

## Gov. Robertson Urges State to Support Army Recruiting

On March 8th, Governor Robertson issued a proclamation in support of the recruiting campaign now being carried on by the Regular Army, in Oklahoma. The effort is being made especially for those regiments who have been designated by the War Department as receiving organizations for Oklahoma recruits. These regiments are the Twenty-Third Infantry, Fifteenth Field Artillery and Second Engineers, all of the famous Second Division now stationed at Camp Travis, Texas; the Tenth Cavalry which is stationed at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

The object of the recruiting parties, comprised of men and officers from the above regiments, now at work in the larger towns and cities, is to obtain 1700 recruits from the month of March, which is their quota during the present national recruiting drive. The effort will be continued in the future as it is desired to make the above named regiments distinctly Oklahoma units.

In his proclamation, Governor Robertson says:

"I appeal to the young men of military age to consider carefully the manifold advantages of training, vocational and military, in the Regular Army. The regiments allotted to this State are representative of every combat branch of the mobile army, and afford unlimited advantages and possibilities for advancement along many lines, and for physical, moral and financial betterment."

## COMPOSER'S SON SHOWS ABILITY AS ORCHESTRA LEADER



Eduardo Granados.

Eduardo Granados, son of the noted Spanish composer who lost his life when the Sussex was sunk in the English channel, recently was given an opportunity to conduct the orchestra of the Metropolitan opera company. He showed real ability. He is an excellent pianist, also.

## FLOODS MENACE LIFE IN OZARKS

DELUGE FOLLOWING TORNADO CREATES FRESHETS AMID THE MOUNTAINS OF MISSOURI.

By the Associated Press  
BRANSON, Mo., March 12.—High water loomed today as a further menace to life and property in Taney county, where a tornado late yesterday took at least 11 lives, brought injury to numerous persons and caused property damage the extent of which cannot be estimated until reports are received from the localities visited by the storm.

Incessant rains which preceded and followed the tornado, have sent every stream in the Ozarks full to the banks, and if precipitation should continue, it was declared today, the danger from floods will become serious.

Especially anxious was felt today by residents of Power-site on the White River, where is located a large hydro-electric plant which furnishes current for many south Missouri towns, including Joplin and Springfield. The stream at this point contains a dam ninety feet high and six hundred feet long. Reports today, however, were that the dam was holding back the flood water.

## KANSAS CITY TEAM VISITS OKLAHOMA

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 11.—A squad of fifteen players of the Kansas City club of the American Association, headed by Manager Alec McCarthy, will leave tonight for the spring training camp at Claremore, Okla. Only four of the 1919 members of the team are in the party. Other players will go direct from their homes to Claremore and it is estimated a squad of thirty men will concentrate there for training. Among those leaving Kansas City is E. Sweeney, catcher, a new player.

The squad will remain in training at Claremore until March 19, according to present plans. The following day the Kansas City Blues will play Tulsa at that place. This game will start a series of exhibition games which will end at Kansas City when the Blues meet the Chicago Nationals April 9, 10 and 11. Games are scheduled at Okmulgee March 22, 23 and 24, at Oklahoma City March 26, 27, and 28 and at Wichita April 1, 2, 3, and 4.

## NEWBERRY MANAGER SUFFERS COLLAPSE

By the Associated Press  
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 12.—Paul King, Newberry campaign manager, made a vain attempt to resume testimony in the Newberry elections conspiracy trial today. Suffering from the effects of a nervous collapse incurred last Tuesday, King was exhausted after five minutes effort to recollect instances of the 1918 senatorial campaign. Court was suspended while two physicians and Mrs. King attended him. Then the doctors ordered him back to bed.

To The Voters of Ada

Ladies and Gentlemen:  
It will be impossible for me to see you personally before the election next Tuesday. Most of the people who work for the county in the county clerk's office are away from the office on account of sickness, leaving one stenographer and myself in the office. There is an old business maxim, learned early in my experience, which has never been forgotten: "NEVER NEGLECT THE JOB YOU NOW HAVE TO SEEK ANOTHER." I can not neglect this office to make a personal canvass, and assure you that each appeal, whether personal, through the press, by letter, by my friends or otherwise, has been made a personal appeal to you for your support.

I want to thank each of you for any effort you may make in my behalf, and assure you that I shall show my appreciation by giving you an economical, progressive, business-like administration.

Yours very truly,  
MILTON GARNER,  
Candidate for Commissioner of Accounting and Finance.  
(Pol. adv.)

## HOME AGAIN HIRAM—The New School Teacher Puts Him to the Acid Test.



## BIG FLOW STRUCK IN FRANCIS FIELD

DURANT PEOPLE BRING IN WHAT IS SAID TO BE BEST WELL IN PONTOTOC COUNTY

"The Biggest oil well in Pontotoc County," is what local oil men are saying of the well brought in yesterday morning in the Francis territory by the Lee & Smith Company of Durant. The well is about four miles Southwest of Francis and about eight miles from Ada.

Drilling was stopped yesterday morning in thirty three feet of sand and arrangements are now being made to put the pumps to work to test the output of the well. An abundance of high grade oil is in evidence, and drilling and promoters are emphatic in their expressions that this promises to be the biggest producer that has yet been found in this country.

General activity in the oil game is expected to follow this production, if the yield is anything like so heavy as oil men expect. The new discovery is expected to increase developments Southwest from the Allen fields.

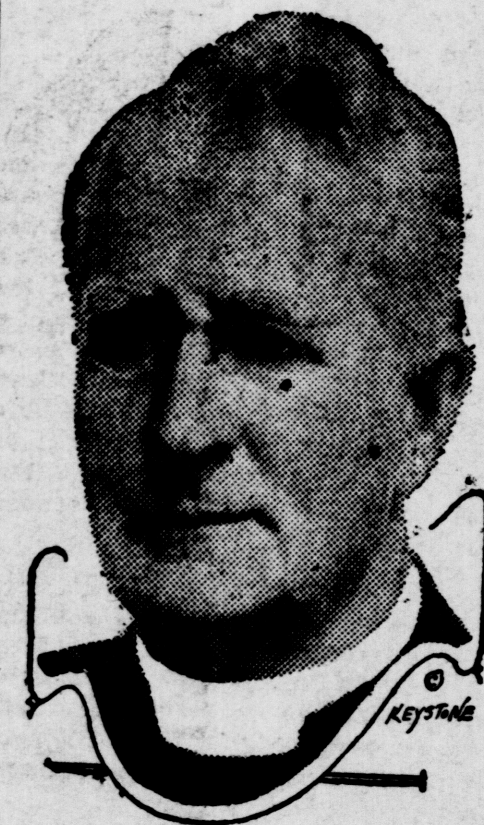
## ALABAMA RAPIST KILLED YESTERDAY

By the Associated Press  
MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 12.—Wilbur Smith, negro and former soldier, who was charged with having attacked the six year old daughter of a white farmer, was shot to death late yesterday by six masked men, near LeGrand, Montgomery County.

After the alleged attack Smith was arrested and preparations were made to bring him to jail here when a party of six men appeared and it was stated, forced the man who had the negro in custody to turn him over to them. Smith was then taken into a wood and shot to death.

WEATHER FORECAST  
Fair and colder in east portion tonight. Saturday fair.

## PROPOSES MERGER OF EVANGELICAL CHURCHES IN U. S.



Rev. Ethelbert Talbot.

Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal church at Bethlehem, Pa., recently suggested a plan for the merger of the twenty-two leading evangelical church denominations in America. He believes this would stop rivalry which has cost Americans \$500,000,000. His plan was discussed at the convention of the inter-church council on organic union in Philadelphia recently. The associated churches would adopt the title "The United Churches of Christ in America."

## Deserted Wife Seeks Divorce From Husband

Mrs. Vada Alexander filed her suit for divorce in district court yesterday asking for divorce from her husband, S. G. Alexander. She is represented by Joseph Anderson as attorney.

Plaintiff states in her petition that she married defendant at Wamble, Ark., September 26, 1915. That of this marriage three children have been born and are now living with plaintiff. That defendant without any cause abandoned plaintiff at Vancos on February 24, 1919, and has remained away ever since. That the present whereabouts of defendant are unknown to plaintiff. Wherefore plaintiff asks for divorce. Costs of this action and \$50 attorney's fee.

## BANK ROBBER IS DEAD OF WOUNDS

ANOTHER ROBBER IMPLICATED IN KANSAS CITY RAID CONFESSES HIS GUILT, OTHER DEVELOPMENTS SOON

By the Associated Press  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 12.—The death of James E. Morgan, held in connection with the attempted hold-up of the South Side Bank here last Tuesday, the confession of Edmond D. Hart arrested by the police last night, an additional arrest today, and an announcement that the grand jury will be asked to indict several persons believed by the police to be connected with the incident, were developments today in the bank robbery case.

Hart, who has bullet wounds in the back and neck, dictated a signed statement at police headquarters this morning, in which he declared he was the driver of the motor car in which the bandits rode to the bank. He received his injuries, the statement says, while assisting one of the wounded bandits into the car, during the exchange of shots which followed the discovery of the men's purpose at the bank. The statement denies that Hart knew any of the other men involved in the affair and asserted he was not aware a hold-up was contemplated.

## AIRPLANE SUMMONS JURY IN ILLINOIS

By the Associated Press  
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., March 12.—Jury men in the murder trial of Edgar A. Strouse, charged with killing B. M. Meade, will be served their summons from an airplane. Roads are almost impassable for automobiles and other vehicles and Sheriff Ralph Spafford today deputized a former army aviator, who will fly to various parts of the county serving the summons.

Hospital Workers Unite

By the Associated Press  
NEW YORK, March 12.—Recognition of hospital attendants union, and increased wages are included in a demand made upon all New York hospitals by the new union, which is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, it became known today.

## CONFERENCE IS NOW DEADLOCKED

TWO REPORTS FILED IN COAL INVESTIGATION AND COMMITTEE IS UNABLE TO AGREE.

By the Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, March 12.—Officials said that neither the majority nor the minority report would be made public if there was a possibility of bringing the members of the commission to an agreement on their differences on the amount of the wage advance and the hours of work.

NEW YORK, March 12.—The sub-committee of miners and operators, appointed to negotiate the new wage agreement for the anthracite miners, today had virtually abandoned the hope that the award of the bituminous commission appointed by President Wilson would serve as a basis of settlement in the hard coal field, because John P. White, miners representative, refused to sign the report. Officials of the mine workers' union declared that this disagreement will bar any consideration being given the award to the soft coal miners.

## WOOD SPEAKS FOR VIGOROUS POLICY

By the Associated Press  
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 12.—The fostering of domestic business and world commerce was advanced by Major General Leonard Wood, candidate for the republican nomination for president, as one of the paramount obligations of the American people and government in an address before the Indiana republican leaders at a luncheon here at the Columbia Club today. General Wood advocated careful training of consular officers to the offices of which would be attached commercial agents.

General Wood reiterated that he favored adoption of the peace treaty and the league of nations covenant with reservation which would be absolutely Americanize it, and of the adoption of a strong, courteous policy which would include a definite trade policy.

## MARSHALL SERVES RED RIVER LITIGANTS

By the Associated Press  
WICHITA FALLS, Texas, March 12.—Frank Morgan, deputy United States marshal, today went to the Red River to serve injunction papers issued by the Federal Court at Enid, Oklahoma, on Texas Rangers in charge of oil wells on the lands involved in the boundary dispute between Texas and Oklahoma. Authorities here expect the Rangers to obey the injunction.

Capt. Nixon of the Second Engineers, who are stationed at Camp Travis, San Antonio, Texas, and who is in charge of the local army recruiting party who are securing new recruits for that regiment, made a trip to Atoka yesterday. The Captain states that he has received many recruits and prospects in both Ada and other towns near Ada and that he also wishes to thank the citizens of Ada for their hearty support that they have given him during the past week while the party has been in Ada.

## OPERATORS AND MINERS INDICTED

CONSPIRACY TO ADVANCE THE PRICE OF FUEL IS CHARGED BY JURY UNDER LEVER ACT.

By News' Special Service:  
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 11.—An indictment charging conspiracy in violation of the Lever fuel control act and the federal criminal code, naming 125 coal operators and miners as defendants, was returned in federal court here late today by a special grand jury which has been investigating the coal industry since Dec. 17, 1919. More than half of the defendants are operators, it is said.

Bond was fixed by United States District Judge A. B. Anderson at \$10,000 in some of the cases and at \$5,000 in others. The defendants will be arraigned on May 4. Names of those indicted will not be made public until they are arrested.

Ten overt acts are charged against the coal men in the indictment, which contains eighteen counts. It is understood that many of the violations charged have no connection with the strike of the bituminous miners, but occurred prior to the signing of the armistice.

Changes in Indictment.  
The indictment was brought under sections 4 and 9 of the Lever act and section 37 of the criminal code and charged in general that miners and operators conspired to enhance the price of necessities by restricting distribution, limiting manufacture and by other means, and conspiring to commit offenses against the United States as defined in the criminal code. The penalty on conviction is a fine not exceeding \$10,000, imprisonment for not more than two years, or both fine and imprisonment.

While no names were made public it was learned that practically all those facing charges are active in the central competitive field, which embraces Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and Pennsylvania. The grand jury was instructed to go fully into all reports of violations of the Lever law, without regard to the place of origin of the reports.

It was not expected that any arrests will be made this week, as two or three days will be required to prepare the papers for serving.

In Session Forty-nine Days.  
The grand jury was called into special session for the sole purpose of investigating the affairs of the operators and miners. The jury reported forty-nine days later. It was convened Dec. 17, 1919, but adjourned from time to time to give officials an opportunity to obtain witnesses and to prepare records. It was said the grand jury examined more than three hundred persons in prosecuting its investigations. Included among those who were examined are Dr. H. A. Garfield, former federal fuel administrator; Cyrus Garnsey, assistant to Dr. Garfield, and many coal operators and mine union officials.

## POLICE PROBING NEW YORK CONTEST

By the Associated Press  
NEW YORK, March 12.—Police officials today began an investigation of a boxing exhibition staged by Columbia University students last night, which resulted in the death of Milton Sternfield of Albany, a former army lieutenant, and post graduate student, who engaged in a sparring match with Andrew Lockett, a sophomore, as one of the events at a smoker.

Lockett, who has been detained under a technical charge of homicide, told the police that his glove barely glanced off Sternfield died at a hospital within a half hour.

## How to Grow a Garden

The Evening News now has ready for free distribution a large number of bulletins on the subject of Gardening. These bulletins are government publications furnished us for distribution among our readers by the kindness of Congressman Tom D. McKeown. Anyone desiring one of these bulletins will please call for it at the Evening News office.

These bulletins are prepared by the garden experts of the department of agriculture. They will be found of rare value to the small gardeners of Pontotoc County. The great impetus given to back-lot and vacant-lot gardening during the war period should be maintained, as the garden is one of the important factors in fighting the continual advance in the problem of living. Call and get one of these bulletins.



## BRITISH TROOPS HUNT FOR BOMBS IN THE RUINS OF ULSTER BARRACKS



Armed and steel-helmeted troops are here seen searching in the ruins of the Ballytrain police barracks, County Monoghar, Ireland, for

bombs. Many were found. More than 150 masked and armed Sinn Feiners attacked the police barracks at 2 a. m. and fought for three

hours until the barracks and an adjoining grocery store had been blown up and the police had surrendered.

## HISTORY READY OF 90TH DIVISION

By News' Special Service:

DALLAS, March 11.—Two thousand copies of the Ninetieth Division history are available for purchase at Ninetieth Division Association headquarters, 804 Southwestern Life Building, according to announcement made yesterday by Secretary A. J. Reinhart. Subscribers, who have paid for their copies, will receive them direct from the publisher, Mr. Reinhart said.

The history traces the life of the division from its organization at Camp Travis to its disintegration after the war when the men were sent to the different camps for discharge. The book is divided into five sections: The Formative Period, The Period of Movement, The Battle Period, The Period of Occupation and A Miscellany. The miscellaneous section contains statistics on the division, its decorations, casualties, and commendations, and a roster of

its officers. To the battle period 150 pages are devoted. The history is profusely illustrated with maps and war photographs, contains 255 pages and is bound in khaki cloth with the division insignia inset on the front cover. Its author, Major George Wythe, who now resides in Washington, was formerly a member of The Dallas News local staff.

The dedication of the history follows: "The soul of any fighting unit lies in the courage and devotion of disciplined officers and men. It is for this reason that there has been set forth in this history the incidents of the death or wounding of practically every officer, as this is one of the means on which to 'hang out tale,' and such events are generally landmarks in the organization to which these officers belonged, definitely identifying the particular action or phase of operations. Not space alone, but the frequent lack of definite information, has rendered it impracticable to include herein similar data for all the men who have so gloriously laid down their lives or sacrificed their limbs in their heroic devotion to duty."

"To those unsung heroes, to each and every officer and man who paid the supreme sacrifice that liberty

should not perish from the earth, this book is reverently dedicated.

"May those rude crosses, not alone in the opsy fields of Europe, but amid the battle-scarred and shell-pitted regions of St. Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne, as well as those placed later along the vine-clad Moselle valley, be white fingers of warning pointing upward from the living dead—a warning that their sacrifice must not be permitted to have been made in vain; a warning to Americans that the principles of liberty, freedom, and enlightenment, justice and patriotism, to be preserved, must be continually safeguarded, fostered and maintained. Their sacrifices can not—shall not—have been in vain."

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## RUSSELL FLAYED IN PROBE REPORT

GOV. ROBERTSON'S PARDON  
AND PAROLE ACTS ARE  
ENDORSED

RUSSELL'S CHARGES "FALSE"

"Cat" Editor, Under Oath on Witness Stand, Admits His Charges Are Mere Hearsay and Cannot Be Proven.

Oklahoma City, Okla., (Special).—Campbell Russell, Corporation Commissioner, who, through the medium of his publication, known as "The Cat," has devoted considerable time during the past year to an attack upon Governor Robertson's exercise of the pardon and parole power, failed completely to "produce the evidence" to sustain his allegations, according to the findings of the special house investigating committee during the recent extra legislative session.

### Charges Unfounded

After a most thorough probe of all of the records and transactions in the pardon and parole department, and after hearing all of the evidence that Russell could produce, it was the unanimous report of the committee that Russell's accusations and insinuations "were absolutely false and without the slightest foundation." The report of the committee was adopted by the House of Representatives without a dissenting vote.

Through his publication medium, and in his speeches over the state, Russell has repeatedly stated that "the evidence is ready to support every charge I make," but this he failed to do. When placed upon the stand before the committee of probers and put under oath and made amenable to the perjury law, Russell admitted that he had no evidence whatever tending to show that Governor Robertson had ever yielded to undue pressure in the granting of clemency.

### Admits Records Clear

He stated specifically that he had no evidence to show that anyone connected with the pardon and parole department had ever accepted money or other thing of value in connection with an act of clemency.

Russell admitted, in reply to questions from his inquirers, that all of the insinuations and charges made by him against the governor were based entirely upon rumors and hearsay and that he could not verify or prove any of them.

Questioned further by the committee, Russell admitted that he had never as much as gone to the trouble of looking into the record of any case. Although his office is in the capitol near the pardon department where the record of every act of clemency is open for inspection, Russell said he had never gone to the pardon department, or made any effort to ascertain the true facts from the record. He admitted that he had been in the executive office only once since Robertson became Governor. This visit was last January, a year ago, when Russell called to solicit the aid of the Governor in securing the passage of a certain measure then pending before the legislature. Governor Robertson refused to lend his influence to Russell, and the testimony given at the hearing showed that at this time Russell told the Governor: "I'll be after you from now on."

### Tells How Fight Began

It was the opinion of many members of the legislature that this incident, wherein the Governor refused to agree with Russell on a matter of legislation, is responsible for the whole fight being waged against the pardon and parole department.

While on the stand under oath Russell gave testimony showing that in some cases he was familiar with the true facts, but at the same time persisted in printing "false statements" in his "Cat," the committee found.

One noticeable instance of misrepresentation, pointed out by the committee in this connection, is in the Paul Hadley case. The evidence showed that Paul Hadley's application for a leave of absence was presented by Judge John H. Burford, who received a fee of \$100.00 for his services in preparing and presenting the papers. Russell said he knew of this, yet a special edition of his "Cat" issued a few hours before he went on the witness stand stated that Hadley had offered a fee of \$1,000, and that Gen. Roy Hoffman's law firm had received a very attractive fee for its work in the Hadley case.

### Exonerated Unanimous

The committee took up each case, which Russell had called attention to, and gave him the opportunity of furnishing all of the data he had. The Governor was completely and unanimously exonerated from Russell's insinuations in each case.

### Committee's Report

Following is the summary of the findings of the committee:

After having considered all of the evidence that has been submitted to your Committee, we unhesitatingly report that the statements and insinuations made by Mr. Campbell Russell against the Pardon and Parole Department of this state and against the Governor of this state, are unsupported

by facts and do not constitute a charge of even a serious nature.

To the minds of this committee, Mr. Russell has failed to observe the most common rules in securing evidence to substantiate his charges. He admits in his testimony, that he never made any attempt to examine the records of the Pardon and Parole Department, that he never talked with Governor Robertson, or the Pardon and Parole Officer about the affairs of the Pardon and Parole Office. He states specifically to the Committee, that he has no charges and cannot make any charges against the Governor or the Pardon and Parole Department of this state involving misconduct, malfeasance, or anything involving moral turpitude of anyone connected with the Pardon and Parole Department.

### Statements "Untrue"

As will be found in the record of the testimony, Mr. Russell did not attempt to correct misstatements when it was brought to his attention that he had made them. He insisted upon publishing time and again statements that were not true, and upon the evidence of reliable men, had been called to his attention.

Your Committee has gone very thoroughly into the records of the Pardon and Parole Department of this state. We desire to say to this Honorable Body, that those records are complete, containing every letter, recommendation and protest in the matter of pardons and paroles of the many cases that are filed therein. After examining the records, hearing the testimony of Governor Robertson and Mr. Kearney, the Parole Attorney, we are convinced that these officials have been doing the utmost, in their judgment, for the best interest of society and the unfortunate men and women in their care and keeping.

### Russell Raised Rates

In his testimony, Mr. Campbell Russell admitted that, as Corporation Commissioner, he had issued orders raising the rates of public service corporations in the various towns and cities of this state. He admitted that corporation attorneys, representing millions of dollars, appeared before him asking that the rates of their corporations be raised; and he admitted before this Committee, that if the same line of reasoning was applied to him, that he applied to the Governor of this state in the matter of pardons and paroles, that the consumers, who were forced to pay the advanced rates prescribed by the Corporation Commission, would be justified in believing that he was filling his pocket with corporation money in return for the privilege of raising the rates.

This Committee does not believe that Mr. Campbell Russell, acting in the capacity of a public servant of this state is selling himself to every corporation attorney who appears before him and asks the right to charge the public more money for their services; neither do we believe that Governor Robertson is accepting a part of the few paltry dollars that the unfortunate convicts of this state are able to pay attorneys to represent them before the Pardon and Parole Department of this state.

### Eleventh Hour Move

One more thing your Committee desires to mention to this Honorable Body. On this last day of the session, in its closing hours, Mr. Campbell Russell presented your committee an affidavit charging Governor Robertson with ignorance or with the commission of an act involving moral turpitude.

This affidavit does not bear upon the matters concerning the Pardon and Parole Department of this State, but relates to a resolution then pending before the legislature of this State and which communication was to advise the Senate of the Governor's construction of the language used in the resolution, and which merely called the attention of the Legislature to the effect which he believed such resolution would have.

The letter mentioned is utterly void of any inference that the Governor was acting in an improper manner or attempting to deceive or mislead the Senate or the members of the Legislature.

### Action Delayed

Although the affidavit filed today contains charges that have been published by him before, he has never attempted to bring this matter before the legislative session when it had time to act upon it.

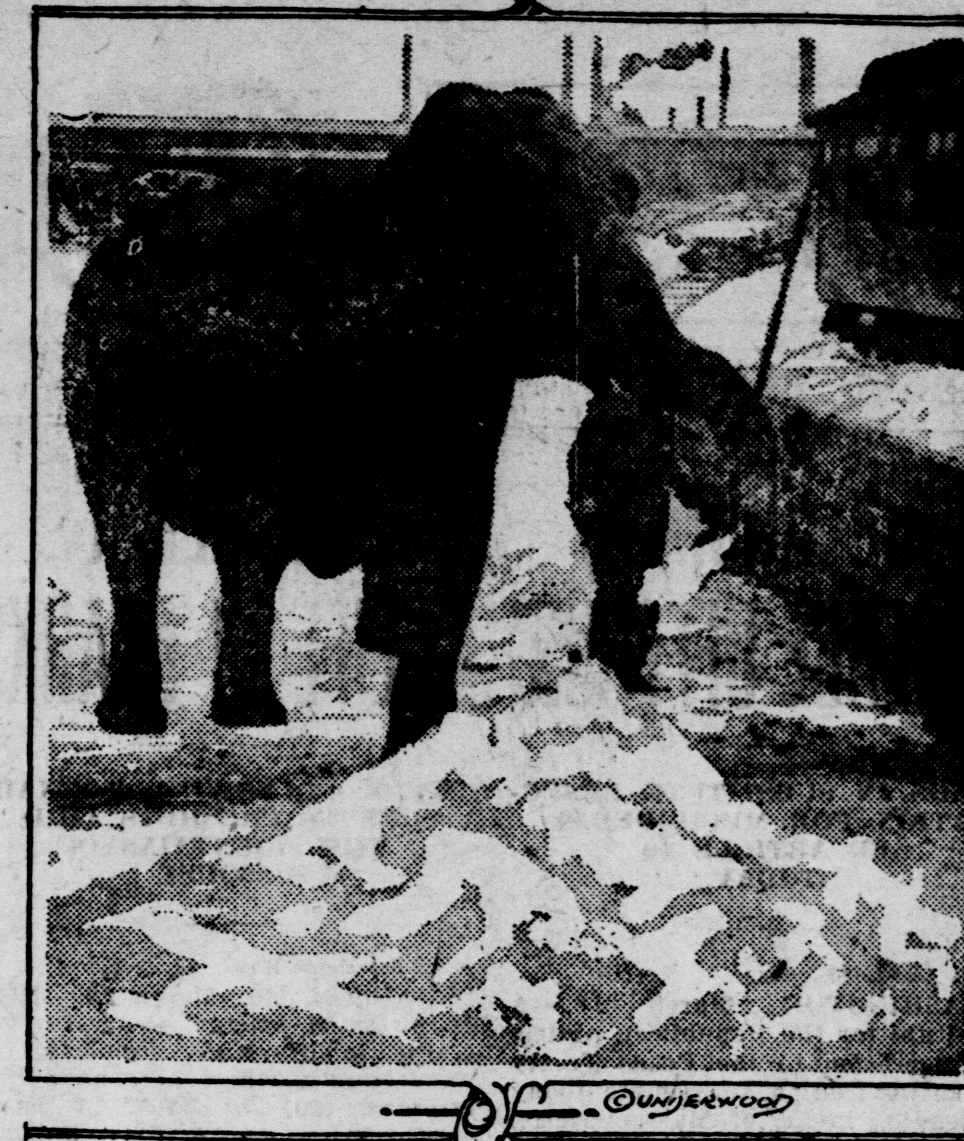
The only conclusion that your Committee can come to in this matter is, that Mr. Russell, having failed utterly to produce anything that could sustain him in his vicious attack upon Governor Robertson and the Pardon and Parole Department, he now attempts to inject an affidavit that will give him an excuse for continuing his attack upon Governor Robertson and upon the Legislature.

### Robertson Testifies

Governor Robertson testified before the Committee, that Campbell Russell had never been in his office but once since he was inaugurated. He testified that a few days after he was inaugurated, Mr. Russell came to his office and asked him to assist in getting the Legislature to vitalize Section 12A of the Constitution. The Governor further stated in his testimony, that he told Mr. Russell that he could not do so, because he did not believe it was right, and that Campbell Russell replied, that he would be after him (meaning the Governor) hereafter.

Your Committee concludes, that Mr. Russell is carrying out his threat, and that the animus of the whole fight against the Governor is because the Governor did not see fit to assist him in a legislative measure.

## ELEPHANTS HELP DIG CIRCUS OUT OF SNOW



One of the elephants shoveling snow into an empty car

When Barnum and Bailey's Circus, in winter quarters at Bridgeport, Conn., was snowed under recently the elephants were set to work digging the show out of the drifts. The animals did remarkable work with the snow shovels and in pulling snow plows through deep drifts.

Durant Democrat: All school superintendents meet up with trouble somewhere in their careers. Just now, according to a story, the superintendent of the Pittsburg, (Kans.) schools is having his. Recently he issued an order to all lady teachers forbidding them from wearing that garment which may be designated here as T. B.'s. It started an insurrection and the teachers threatened to resign. The superintendent became alarmed and so on a certain morning each teacher found on her desk a note which read something like this: "I made a terrible mistake, which was due to the fact that I have only been married three days. What I meant to forbid is middy blouses."

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## WIFE OF ONLY ANTI-BOLSHEVIK LEADER IS WITH HER HUSBAND IN FIGHTING ZONE



Madame Semenoff and one of her husband's confidential aides.

Madame Semenoff, wife of General Semenoff, who is virtually the sole anti-Bolshevik dictator in Siberia today, is with her husband, who is now fighting the eastward advance of the Reds along the Chinese eastern railway near Chita and in the district east of Lake Baikal.

## DEMOCRATS WATCH THREE CANDIDATES

By News' Special Service

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Political leaders in the nation's capital are viewing the Presidential campaign with varying emotions. While the deadlock in the Senate over the peace treaty situation still serves to aid to the middle, some definite convictions have been reached.

Prominent among these is the conviction that statements which may be made by Herbert Hoover or William G. McAdoo, former Secretary of the Treasury, that they are not seeking the nomination for President on the Democratic ticket, are to be taken with at least a ton of salt rather than with the proverbial grain.

That Mr. Hoover has his eyes on the nomination and, in fact has been laying his plans to head the ticket for many months, is accepted here without serious question. And party leaders have no more doubt in their minds about the hopes and ambitions of Mr. McAdoo, despite his message in regard to withholding his name from the Georgia and California primaries.

Three Centres of Interest  
For the moment interest, so far as the Democratic nomination is concerned, is centered largely upon Mr. Palmer, who is said to have the sympathetic support of the White House; Mr. Hoover, able publicist, and Mr. McAdoo, whose recent appeals for the popular support, first during the coal strike controversy and then in behalf of a method to reduce taxation, have in the minds of some observers made it appear that he is not without resourcefulness in seeking preferment.

This situation creating Palmer, Hoover and McAdoo as the leading figures in the race at the moment for the Democratic nomination, is contingent, of course upon a decision by President Wilson not to go before the people in quest of a third term and also upon the theory that William Jennings Bryan will not rally about him sufficient strength to become a factor for the nomination.

Governor Cox of Ohio is counted out as a possible favorite son candidate, and so is Senator Owen of Oklahoma, Senator Pomerene of Ohio, who was once in the race has withdrawn and, while the leaders are uncertain of his status, they don't give consideration at all to the possibility of his nomination. The Champ Clark boom is put down as complimentary rather than as dangerous to the ambitions of other candidates. Clark, the leaders hold, came nearer being President in 1912 than he ever will again. He is regarded as a possibility but hardly a probability. Vice President Marshall is put in the same class.

Attorney General Palmer is in the race with his teeth gritted and, whatever else may be said of his chances, he has a commanding personal appearance and will certainly make a dent in the situation which is not to be overlooked. He is a convincing talker, a good political strategist and is credited with having the support of several astute Roger Sullivan of Illinois and Thomas Taggart of Indiana. His friends say there will be "nothing to it" as between Palmer and McAdoo. They hold also that he is going to capture the support of a lot of women delegates.

McAdoo Believed a Candidate  
Mr. McAdoo steps forward with his appeal for the support of labor as contained in the statement made while the Government was trying to bring about the settlement of the coal strike, when he denounced the coal operators and recommended that the miners get a very substantial increase. This McAdoo statement came out of a clear sky and immediately started reports in political

circles here than any one who doubted that Mr. McAdoo was in the race was not to be believed. The more recent statement by Mr. McAdoo offering a scheme to reduce taxation by issuing \$1,500,000,000 in bonds and other financial manipulation, convinced even the doubters as to the status of Mr. McAdoo in the contest. It apparently placed Mr. McAdoo on record as pledged to the adoption of some scheme, in the event of his nomination and election, for the reduction of taxes. Some observers here hold that Mr. McAdoo has not only put himself unqualifiedly in the race, but has started out framing planks of the platform on which he hopes to run.

The gossip here is that if President Wilson keeps out of the race Mr. McAdoo hopes to romp away with the nomination after the first or second ballot as a liberal sympathetic to labor, and a friend of business and the general taxpayer public on the basis, at least, of relief from the tax burden during the next two years.

Mr. Hoover, while less spectacular in his methods, has been building up a substantial popularity thru his news statements and magazine articles on current problems. He has said he was not a candidate, but has taken no effective step to check the movement looking to his nomination. Refusal to permit his name to appear in the primary election in Georgia and California, as in the case of Mr. McAdoo, is regarded as no indication that he is not in the race.

Palmer, McAdoo and Hoover are apparently running neck and neck at the present time, with President Wilson and Mr. Bryan as more or less uncertain elements in the situation.

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## COULD NOT STOOP TO TIE HIS SHOES

"Tanlac not only added twenty-four pounds to my weight, but put me in as good health as I ever was in my life," said Augustus Meihls, a well-known farmer of Morton, Ill. "For four years I was troubled with rheumatism and indigestion," he continued, "and many a day I gave clean out while working in the field and had to lie down until I got strength enough to get back to the house. My rheumatism was so bad that every morning I had to rub my legs before I could stand up and my back was so stiff and painful that it nearly killed me to stoop over. My joints, too, were so stiff and sore that I could not bend over to tie my shoes. My appetite was very poor and when I did eat anything I was in misery for hours afterwards. I was hardly ever able to get a good night's rest because my kidneys were so badly out of order, and last spring my condition got so bad I wasn't able to work and for several weeks I could hardly get out of the house."

"The man I hired to take my place recommended Tanlac so highly that I began taking it, and to make a long story short, I haven't a pain in my body now and can do as hard a day's work as any man. I eat three square meals a day, digest them perfectly and sleep like a top every night. In fact, I couldn't ask to be in better health, and all the credit is due to Tanlac."

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## KANSAS CONSIDERS INCREASING TAXES

ATCHISON Kans., March 11.—A plan whereby state automobile license fees would return a gross fund of approximately \$3,000,000 annually was presented today before the annual convention of the Kansas Good Roads Association by L. J. Pettijohn, secretary of state. He proposed that automobile owners be charged a minimum fee of \$10 a year, graduated on a basis of power and car values, and that automobiles be exempted from other taxation.

Mr. Pettijohn contrasted the advance in farming methods in the state and the lack of road improvement, declaring the country roads of Kansas "are not far removed from their condition of ten years ago." He touched upon the use of freight trucking lines and asserted that under the present law \$1,300,000 would be made available for improvement of dirt roads during the fiscal year by issuance of 260,000 motor car licenses.

W. C. Markham, secretary of the state highway commission, urged adoption of the road and tax amendments to be submitted to the voters next November. He declared that if these are adopted the state can pay 25 percent, or not to exceed \$10,000 a mile, for road building without adding "one cent" to land or personal property taxes or to the present tax and license fee on automobiles. He explained this could be done by levying a cent a gallon gasoline tax and by fixing a minimum automobile license fee of \$15.

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## RED CROSS NURSES HOME FROM SIBERIA



The nurses on their arrival at San Francisco.

These four Red Cross nurses registered joy as they walked down the gangplank of the transport Great Northern at San Francisco recently. Their heroic services in Siberia,

where they were for months engaged in administration of relief for thousands of sufferers from hunger and disease, are over. Reading from left to right: Harriett Kift of Sunbury,

Pa.; May Mikula of Chicago, Reba Dobson of Honolulu, and Neola Moyer of Decatur, Ind. They served at Vladivostok and Irkutsk.

## A CLUB MEMBER FOR SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

On February 2, 1920, Edwin T. Meredith became Secretary of Agriculture, successor of David F. Houston. All club boys, not only of this state, but of all the states, should rejoice in having such a man as Mr. Meredith for Secretary of Agriculture.

Mr. Meredith could qualify as a club boy as well as any grown man could. From an account of his life it is found that he was a Pig Club boy long before Pig Clubs came into prominence. He did not join the Pig Club, however, with a fine pure bred gilt, but joined it with a runt pig which his father gave to him. He seems to have been a successful club member, even though he never enjoyed the advantages of a modern agricultural club.

In later years in connection with his farm paper he became a very strong supporter of boys club work. A large number of boys have been benefited by his individual efforts in this line. At the present time, his publication, Successful Farming, is a strong supporter of club activities and boosting for them, but also in actually furnishing cap-

ital by which boys may get started in club work.

Secretary Meredith is essentially a farmer, having been born on a farm and connected with agricultural pursuits all of his life.

In an article from him in the Weekly News Letter he clearly shows that he has the farmer's point of view by making the following statements when asked what he was going to do about the high cost of living:

"I am tempted to believe that the solution of the problem lies more in the hands of those interested in distribution and nonproductive enterprises than in the hands of the farmers of the country. It is not a satisfactory condition for the farmer to receive reduced prices for his pork, wheat and hides while the prices of his machinery, lumber, and shoes are raised."

Club boys everywhere should consider themselves very fortunate in having such a man as E. T. Meredith as Secretary of Agriculture.

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## Can You Write a Headline for This?

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## CARRIER PIGEON SAVES AVIATORS

HONOLULU, T. H., March 7.—(By Mail)—A carrier pigeon released from a disabled, falling army seaplane here recently, reached Luke Field aviation station four miles distant with a message telling of the mishap fifteen minutes after the plane started on its plunge.

While Lieutenant Lester J. Maitland and Varion Elliott and their mechanic were over the city at an altitude of about 1,900 feet, a crankshaft broke with a strong backfire that sent a streak of flame out behind the plane for a distance of thirty feet.

As the machine headed downward in a sharp glide, Lieutenant Elliott, scribbled a note telling of the accident, attached it to the leg of a carrier pigeon carried for just such purpose, and started the bird on its trip home to Luke Field. Fifteen minutes later the bird lighted at the entrance of its loft at the seaplane base.

Tugs picked up the "shipwrecked" aviators and towed the plane back to Pearl Harbor.

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THE PRODIGAL SON

The other morning we happened to be in the juvenile court when the judge was considering sending to the state training school a boy of only eleven years. It seems that the lad had been in court several times before and might be called an incorrigible. In the hearing it developed that the boy had been staying out of school and puts in his time running wild on the streets with other boys of his type, all of whom beat their classes and are rapidly learning criminal ways.

It was an interesting case and one that demands sober consideration. While the city is maintaining a training school for citizens it is permitting the maintenance of a training school for criminals. Whenever a boy of eleven years is permitted to run wild on the streets at all hours he is taking a thorough course in preparation for the penitentiary or the electric chair. That many, many boys are thus permitted to take the primary course in crime unmolested is deplorably evident. We understand that 500 children of school age who have not enrolled in school this year are living within the confines of Ada. And that too in a state with a rigid compulsory school law.

We believe that the city of Ada, including the Evening News, is taking too little thought of its most vital problems. We can muster considerable interest concerning a new factory or a new brick block or additional paving, but in the matter of conserving life and morals we are not so wide awake. The city's most priceless possession is the boy and girl life of the city, and when we ignore that fact we are maintaining a first class recruiting station for our prisons and brothels. All the water and sewage bonds we ever voted will look pitifully small in the day of Judgment when weighed in the balance against the moral character of some boy or girl.

If we are in truth our brother's keeper, it is high time to remind ourselves of that fact. It is time to take stock of the infinite amount of material we are by our negligence letting go to waste. The 500 prospective pupils that now roam the streets or loaf idly at home should be rounded up and given instruction in our city schools. The rabble of ragamuffins that learn petty thievery and other vicious habits in our alleys should be broken up at all hazards. No use to make confirmed criminals of them by hearing them with vicious characters at Pauls Valley. Prevention is more to be desired than punishment.

The Evening News holds no brief for corporations. We have no sympathy with the exactions and high handed methods which won popular distrust of the corporations. At the same time we are willing to admit that a corporation can no more conduct its business at pre war charges than a private concern can. Therefore we are not in sympathy with those who turn green with anger whenever a public service concern is permitted to advance its rates. The increased cost of every commodity touches every corporation in exactly the same way that it does the small merchant and farmer. Neither the merchant nor the farmer can live on the prices he got five years ago. Nor can a corporation live on the rates it collected five years ago. It strikes us as inconsistent to hear a concern that has advanced its prices a hundred per cent complaining of a corporation that has advanced its prices fifteen per cent. It is time that the public should recall to mind the teachings of the Golden Rule and give to others the same treatment it would like to receive from others.

The evening News has not thus far committed itself to any candidate in the race for mayor and will not do so until it has gleaned a lot more information than it now possesses. Great questions are destined to come before the next mayor of this city and the public has the right to know where each of the candidates stands on these questions. There is one question of vital importance to Ada and the attitude of our next mayor on that question will have much to do with the future welfare of our city. Until the Evening News knows beyond any doubt where the candidates are with reference to that question, it shall refrain from supporting any one of them. In order that the public may know what to expect of its next mayor, we hereby invite each and all of them to give immediate answer through the columns of the Evening News to the following very pertinent query: "Where do you stand on the question of badger fighting?"

Our idea of a premature political boom is the one started for Congressman Hastings for the senate "when Senator Owen shall have been nominated for president."

STATEMENT OF E. S. RATLIFF TO VOTERS

No doubt many of you have heard statements made by certain political henchmen of other candidates for mayor that I am opposed and have always opposed public improvements in the city. In answer to that statement I desire to say that I never voted against a bond issue for public improvements, on its merits, in my life. Upon the contrary I have advocated both publicly and privately such issues. I did not oppose the bond issue some months since because I was not in favor of all necessary improvements to the sewer and water system of the city, and my opposition was due to the basis and the theory upon which said issue was figured and determined by the engineers, especially with reference to the manner of pumping the water in to the standpipe. To prove this I have only to state that I made an effort to get before the committee and city commissioners to lay my views before them, before I ever made a speech upon the question. My idea was that if I could convince them that I was even partially right, they would resubmit the matter at another election. The people will remember that I stated in my addresses that every inch of the extension within the city limits was necessary; that I advocated the voting of the park bonds, and that my objection to the other features was the electrical pumping, and the plan of the engineers to raise water rates 100 per cent over what they then were. This question was settled by the voters of the city at that election. I was asked to file an injunction and to contest that election upon grounds, which at that time seemed to have foundation. This I refused to do. I filed no protest in any way or form in said matter to delay or hinder same. The contracts for that improvement have been let and with that, if elected, I will have nothing to do. The only thing now to be done is to see that the city gets what is coming to it under said contracts and to see that the engineers do their duty to the city for the very large sum of money which they get out of the bond issue. I believe I can assist in doing that. If elected I pledge my dead level best effort in that direction.

Respectfully,  
E. S. RATLIFF.

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The American  
The last day to see Florence Reed in "Wires of Men" at the American Theatre. Those who saw the picture yesterday were more

than pleased by the manner in which Florence Reed acquitted her self in playing the heroine of this drama. The play is taken from life and contains a moral which every man and boy should see and carry away with them as well as the ladies and girls.

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PANSIES

Plant your pansy beds now.—Ada Greenhouse. 3-10-1f

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JOSEPH ANDERSON.

FOR SHERIFF  
BOB DUNCAN.  
BARNEY SELFREDGE.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER  
1st District  
OTTO STRICKLAND.  
H. C. STEPHENS.  
JOHN EDWARDS.

FOR COUNTY WEIGHER:  
JOHN WARD.  
(Second Term.)

For City Offices

For Mayor and Commissioner of Public Justice and Safety:  
E. S. RATLIFF.  
ARDEN L. BULLOCK.  
GARY KITCHENS.

FOR COMMISSIONER of Public Works  
P. H. DEAL.  
W. S. SMITH.

FOR COMMISSIONER of Accounting and Finance:  
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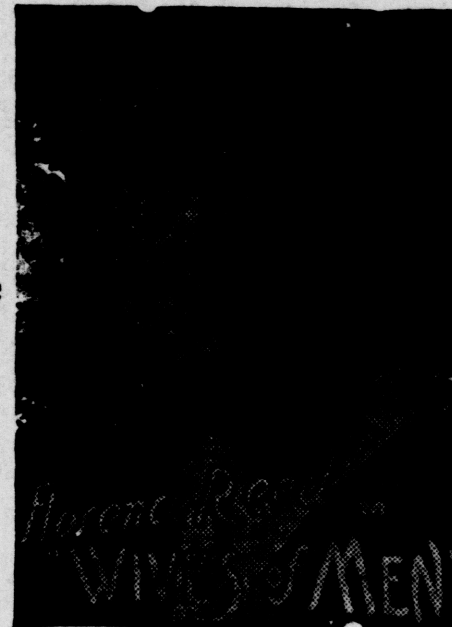


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Stub Elevins made a business trip to Tupelo today.

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J. N. Criswell is reported doing fine today at the local hospital.

Jim Chapman left today for Bonham, Texas on business for his firm.

Suit and coat sale progressing nicely.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-11-21

Mrs. Bill Pennington left today for a visit with her mother in Checotah.

W. P. Boswell of Muskogee is transacting business in the city today.

25 new suits and coats for ladies added to the sale.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-11-21

W. K. Chaney, local cotton man, left yesterday for Maud on a business trip.

Homer Woods left on the 1:55 Frisco on a business trip to Denison, Texas.

Service is our constant aim. Phone 999 for your cleaning and pressing. 3-11-tf

Mrs. Leona Stringfellow left today for a visit with her mother living in Pontotoc.

When in need of tailor work, call 999. Johnson & Auld, Tailors. 3-11-tf

Miss Marguerite Johnston left today to spend the week end at her home in Stonewall.

Have your feet properly fitted. nng dresses on display at Burk's Style Shop. 3-11-21

L. O. Tucker returned today to his home in Sherman, Texas after visiting his son, R. M. Tucker.

A new shipment of perfectly stuns. Insist on the best.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-11-21

Miss Dossit McCracken of Kusa returned to her home today after visiting in the city with a sick sister.

Shade and fruit trees for sale. Call back of telephone office and see W. W. Dodd. 3-10-31

Longley Fenton left today on a business trip to Ft. Worth in the interests of the Ada Flour and Feed Co.

100 new spring suits for men from \$30 to \$60.—Beauties.—Burk's. 3-11-21

Peggy Truitt student of the business college left today for a visit with her parents living in Stonewall.

New shipment of one eyelet ties in suedes, also in black kid and patent.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-11-21

Bill Bailey of Chickasha, Okla., is in the city today visiting the local dealers, in the interests of the Lowney Candy Co.

New pumps in all colors in leathers and suedes.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-11-21

Ben Cooper formerly of Ada, now a resident of Ardmore was in the city today visiting his brother Fleet Cooper.

Since our new pumps arrived we certainly have a wonderful assortment.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-11-21

Mrs. Dave Nelson of Tupelo was dismissed from the local hospital today. She was accompanied home by her husband.

Our cleaning and pressing pleases the most exacting; it will please you. Call 999. Johnson & Auld, Tailors. 3-11-tf

Mrs. Mittie Weems returned yesterday to her home in Oklahoma City after visiting in the city with Mrs. H. A. Reynolds.

Noble B. Reeves made a business trip to Sulphur yesterday in the interests of the Ada Ice Cream Co., for which firm he travels.

Joe I. Davis, architect, has moved his office from the Sledge Lumber Co., to the office formerly occupied by Wimbley & Duncan.

Our ladies' pumps are now very complete. We are showing suedes, kid, patent, browns, and grays.—Burk's Style Shop. 3-11-21

The little son of Will Clark on W. 6th St., fell yesterday and cut a gash in his forehead but is reported to be doing well at the local hospital today.

J. N. Bumpur of Sasakwa had a cataract removed at the hospital yesterday. He suffered with a stroke of apoplexy on his right side last night and is reported not doing very well.

Miss Dollie Goughly, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the local hospital recently, is suffering from other complications and reported not doing very well today.

Mrs. J. C. Gowing left yesterday for Oklahoma City where she will be the guest of Mrs. S. E. Bradley. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. T. Roff, Jr., who will also be the guest of Mrs. Bradley.

W. H. Fisher, 900 S. Johnson Ave., has been quite ill for the past two weeks but is reported improving today.

C. D. Revis of the Alexander Drug Co., of Oklahoma City, was visiting Bart Smith and other druggists today.

Walter Ray made a business trip to points south on the Katy yesterday in the interests of the Ada Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Givens arrived in the city yesterday for a visit with the latter's parents, while enroute from their former home in Sapulpa to Terrell, Texas, where they are locating.

Mrs. L. A. Jackson of Madill has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Brothers, and left today for a visit with her sister living in Stonewall.

Paul DeLorvin left today for Roff where he will engage in business with his brother there. Mr. DeLorvin has recently traded his farm for a \$15,000 stock of merchandise.

## AMERICAN DEAD WILL BE RETURNED

By the Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, March 12.—The bodies of about fifty thousand of the American dead in France will be returned to the United States, while between twenty thousand and twenty-five thousand will remain permanently interred overseas, Secretary Baker today informed Chairman Wadsworth of the senate military committee.

## LAST MINUTE NEWS

White for Six-Hour Day.  
By the Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, March 12.—Officials said today that John P. White, miners' representative on the coal commission appointed by President Wilson, had held out for a six-hour day throughout the negotiations of the committee. The miners originally demanded a six hour day and a five-day week.

White Sox Leave for South.  
By the Associated Press  
CHICAGO, March 12.—The Chicago American League baseball team will leave tonight for Waco, Texas, for spring training. Manager William Gleason and 35 members of the White Sox, including Eddie Cicotte, the veteran pitcher who has been holding out for a better contract, will make up the party.  
Ladies, do you have fits? Be fitted in a famous Barclay Corset. Ada Hemstitching and Button Shop. 3-10-tf.  
Let a Want Ad Get it for You.

## Spelling Match This Evening to Be Warm Affair

The "spelling bee" at the Normal this evening promises to be an attraction of major importance for this year. A record crowd of high brows affecting an interest in all cultural processes has made promise to add eclat to the scene by attending en masse. The nominal entrance fee of two bits in advance will not deter the intellectuals from filling up the bald headed row and overrunning the bleachers.

The preliminaries promise to be more entrancing than the spelling match itself. The down town team declares that it is altogether unfair for the Normal contingent to select the spellers on both sides, select the judges, select the book to be used, select the words to be spelled, and drill the participants in spelling the selected words for fifteen days. They hint at having something up their sleeves besides diceps and promise to tear down one beautifully prepared playhouse when they arrive on the firing line this evening. They will probably demand a different text book from the one selected by the Normal contingent and will no doubt ask for a division of the judges.

The classic program set in addition to the orthographical contest has a number of interesting features and will be worth seeing from a short distance. The purpose of arranging these classic dances is to afford amusement for those in the audience who have never learned to spell.

## Want Ads

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

Classified advertising will be charged for at the rate of one cent per word each insertion, with a minimum charge of 15c for first insertion. The little want adv. is the biggest puller in the world for securing help, selling anything you may want to sell, renting out your property, securing rooms, etc., and gets results immediately.

FOR SALE—Ford roadster, dandy shape; bargain price, \$275.—Grant Irwin, phone 2. 3-12-3t

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock eggs \$1.50 for setting of 15. Mrs. Joe Rushing, phone 625. 3-12-tf

WANTED—Your old mattresses to work over. Made good as new. Phone Factory, 170, residence 977. 3-12-tf

FOR SALE—Five room new house on S. Johnson and West 21st St. Paved street near. Call at house.—A. A. Wells. 3-12-6t

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms in modern home. Meals next door. 423 East 13th. Phone 968. 3-12-2t

WANTED TO RENT—Either unfurnished rooms or house. Call 352. 3-12-2td

FOR SALE—The biggest bargain yet, almost new 5 passenger car. \$7.50.—Grant Irwin, phone 2. 3-12-5td

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

## SCHOOL PATRONS

When you patronize a picture show, why not patronize the High School pictures. All show houses do not have clean, moral pictures. You can be sure that every film is absolutely clean if it is thrown on the screen at the

## COMMUNITY MOTION PICTURES

Help us to supply a pure, wholesome, beneficial recreation for you and your boys and girls by patronizing our Friday night entertainments.

EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT AT 7:30

ADMISSION ALWAYS 10 AND 15 CENTS

Try It Once!

## More and More New Blouses

Our Blouse Department offers many delightful new styles for Easter. Georgette Crepe, Crepe-de-chine, Tricolette and Bastite; long and short sleeves; plain or embroidered, some with lace, others with frills.

From \$5 upward to \$45

## New Spring Dresses

The New Dresses reveal great variety in line. There are frocks with extended hips and harem draped skirts. Others with short sleeves and vestees. Many which give plaited ruffles a new twist as trimming; and where there is not a complete absence of ornamentation one may find radiant beading, tinsel and silk embroideries. To carry out these beautiful style designs the fabrics are rich, supple and luxurious.

Taffetas, Georgette, Charmeuse and Tricolette Weaves  
Prices \$25 to \$100

SPECIAL VALUES AT  
\$16.95 and \$29.50

# STEVENS-WILSON Co.



In Memory of Mrs. K. N. Haley  
Another sweet voice is now added to the choir singing His praises around the eternal throne. Mrs. K. N. Haley died Saturday afternoon, March the sixth, after a lingering illness, at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. M. P. Bentley.

She was reared in Yazoo county, Miss., where she lived until coming to Ada three years ago.

She was eighty three years old and had been a member of the Baptist church for sixty-seven years.

To possess her friendship was indeed a privilege and blessing.

She was ever ready to perform the great works of life humbly and render a kindness to those about her.

Mrs. Haley had been sick for a long time and her death was expected. It should be a comfort to the sorrowing ones to know that she has gone into a broader field of work, where all pain and limitations are removed by the hand of a loving Father.

Mrs. Haley leaves one son, Geo. T. Hill, Grenada, Miss., and eight grandchildren, all living in Mississippi except Mrs. M. P. Bentley of this city and Mary Wilkinson, St. Louis, Mo.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dunn, pastor of the First Christian church, and her remains were laid to rest in Rosedale cemetery.

News Want Ads Brings Big Results.

## RHEUMATISM PREVENTED HIM USING ARMS TO FEED SELF. RECOMMENDS 40

Augusta, Ga., May 20, 1919. "I suffered with rheumatism and indigestion and at times could not use my arms to feed myself. I tried every remedy I heard of with only temporary relief. I was advised to try No. 40 For The Blood, which I did with splendid results. While I am not entirely well I feel like a different man and expect to continue Number 40, believing it will

cure me. I have told several of my friends of 40, which they are taking with great results. I cheerfully recommend No. 40 to anyone suffering from any blood, liver or stomach trouble, or general bad health." Wesley Royal. Witness to signature: J. M. Haynie. Made by J. C. Men-denhall, Evansville, Ind., 40 years a druggist. Sold by Gwin & Mays Drug Co.

Alpha-Kappa.  
Society met in regular order March 9, 1920. Roll call by the secretary. Minutes of last meeting was read and adopted. Secretary gave report of financial affairs.

The nominating committee reported. The following names were submitted for new officers: Lee Low, president; Lyle Sullivan, vice president; Vera Wallace, secretary and treasurer; Otho Bray, sergeant at arms. The society voted them in, and all were sworn into office except Mr. Sullivan, who was absent.

The pin for the society was adopted.

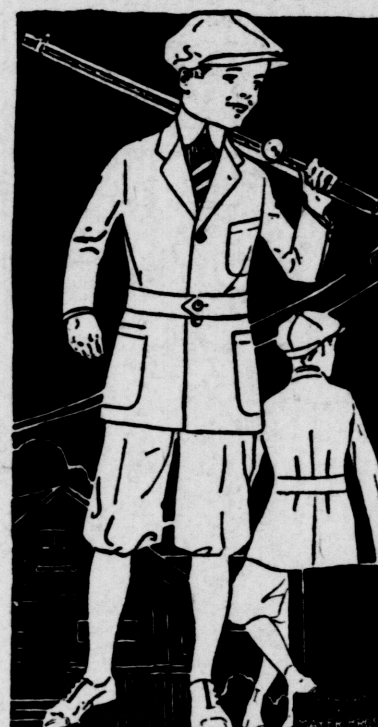
A four minute talk was given by Everett Robinson, on "The Value of a Literary Society." A four minute

talk by Otho Bray on "Teachers' Salaries." Both were appreciated very much.

The following question was debated: "Resolved that settlement by arbitration of labor disputes shall be made mandatory by national legislative enactment." Affirmative, Oliver Vernon and Beas Laird; negative, Otho Bray and Lee Low. The question was discussed well by both sides. The affirmative was victorious.

Vocal solo by Oscar Parker which was sung very beautifully. Criticism by Mr. Newcomb. Society adjourned.

We want to buy your old furniture.—Swop-Shop, Phone 125. 3-1-tf



## Easter Sale of "Mother's Friend" Boy's Suits Friday, Saturday, Monday

Values up to \$24.50, choice of lot \$19.50

The Materials are such that will please every youthful preference. Ages 8 to 18.

## Men's Trousers On Sale Friday, Saturday and Monday

Choice of any pant in the window ..... \$10  
Values up to \$12.50. Don't miss these great bargains.

## Easter Millinery

Our milliners have created some of the most beautiful hats shown this season in large and small shapes of various styles and colors that will be on sale Friday, Saturday and Monday at the very attractive price of each ---- \$10



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S.M. SHAW, PROP.

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EASTER IS NOT FAR OFF

Spring at last has arrived—at least in our Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department. Our Stock is complete and very good selections are to be had in Ladies' Suits, Coats and Blouses.

## Our Dry Goods Section

comprises a fine line of Dry Goods including new patterns in Crepe-de-chine, Voiles, Organdies and Ginghams. Attractive values are offered in all these materials.



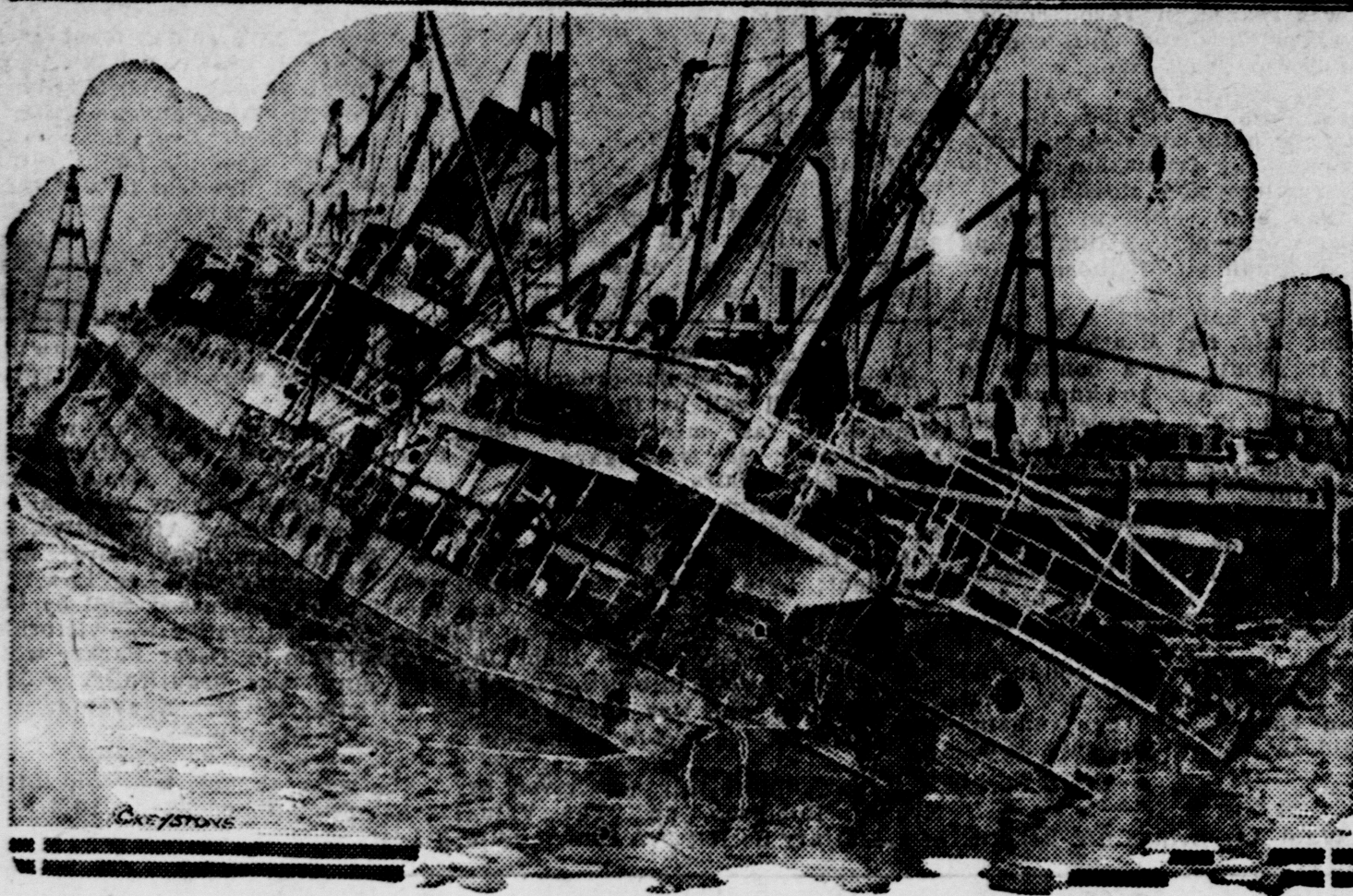
104 WEST MAIN ST.

# Cooper's Store

ADA, OKLA.



## MYSTERY SURROUNDS THE SUDDEN SINKING OF 10,000 TON SHIPPING BOARD VESSEL 'MOCCASIN'



The foundered steamer Moccasin.

Mystery surrounds the sinking of the 10,000-ton U. S. shipping board steamer "Moccasin," which lies partly submerged at the foot of Columbia street Brooklyn. The vessel suddenly filled with water and sank, listing far to one side as the photo shows. The officers and crew barely had time to leap to the pier. Investigation revealed that all the ship's seacocks and the scuttle were open.

## NEWSPAPER MAN TELLS OF MEXICO

EXPULSION FROM REPUBLIC BY GREASER GOVERNMENT AS A PERNICIOUS FOREIGNER

LAREDO, Tex., March 12.—Gerald Brandon, the American newspaper man recently expelled from Mexico as a "pernicious foreigner" declare upon his arrival here that he had been held incommunicado in a Mexico City prison from February 26 until March 2. A number of incidents led to his deportation, he declared, the principal grievance being his reports to a Los Angeles paper of his investigation of the famous Jenkins case. Certain Mexican officials also had become indignant over his reports concerning relief work in the recent earthquake disaster in the state of Vera Cruz, Brandon asserted.

He arrived at Nuevo Laredo on March 4 in custody of two Mexico City policemen who released him in the center of the international bridge. The newspaper man came to Laredo, thence proceeding to Los Angeles. He had been in the Mexican national capital three months as correspondent for the Los Angeles paper.

Mr. Brandon said he investigated the case of W. O. Jenkins, the American consular agent at Puebla, and confirmed to his satisfaction reports of false testimony by Mexican peons against Jenkins, which previously had been published in the United States. He also discovered that claims by Mr. Jenkins regarding the destruction of part of the evidence in the case were correct, Brandon declared. Publication of the result of his investigation incensed the governor of the state of Puebla, he said, and the governor filed a strong protest in Mexico City.

On February 26, Mr. Brandon said, he was arrested in his home without a warrant having been issued. He declared he had been held without counsel or trial until March 2, when he was informed that he was persona non grata and would be expelled under article 33 of the Mexican constitution.

## WIRELESS OPERATOR PAID BY AIRPLANE

EL PASO, Tex., March 12.—Private (first class) Tankersley is probably the only man in the American army who receives his pay check via airplane, according to the Army Aviation Bulletin.

Tankersley is wireless operator at Hesters' Ranch, ninety miles east of El Paso on the Rio Grande. He is attached to the 104th aero squadron.

To pay him it is necessary, the Bulletin says, to send the payroll down by one of the El Paso-Marfa border patrol planes. He signs the payroll and returns it to Fort Bliss by the next airplane passing his post. A few days later the money is sent to Tankersley by one of the aviators.

"Probably if a few of the companies in Mexico who are having such ill luck with their payrolls would adopt this means of paying off, they would have less trouble with bandits stealing their money," the Bulletin suggests.

A pain in the side or back that catches you when you straighten up calls for a rubbing application of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It relaxes the contracted muscles and permits ordinary bodily motion without suffering or inconvenience. Sold by Bart Smith.

## GREECE'S EX-KING ENJOYING HIMSELF AT A SWISS RESORT



Ex-King Constantine and his daughter, Princess Catherine, photographed at St. Moritz.

Ex-King Constantine of Greece is spending his time in comfort at the great winter resort at St. Moritz, Switzerland, while his former subjects are struggling with post-war problems. He is shown above as he is seen daily walking with his little daughter, Princess Catherine.

Take HERBINE for indigestion. It relieves the pain in a few minutes and forces the fermented matter which causes the misery into the bowels where it is expelled. Sold by Bart Smith.

## OIL FIELD WORKERS ARE TAX SLACKERS

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., March 12.—Fully five thousand persons in the north Texas oil fields have failed as yet to render income tax reports, according to A. F. Bowden, deputy collector of internal revenue here. He issued a warning and declared he was "convinced that practically all the workers in the nearby oil field should render reports."

Collector Bowden, after a tour of the fields, declared his belief that the Wichita oil district would head the state in per capita income tax collections.

One tax amounting to more than \$50,000 has just been paid, he said. The amount was covered by a Burk Burnett bank's certified check, the taxpayer having ignored his privilege of paying the tax under the government's installment plan the collector said.

To Fortify the System Against Colds, Grip and Influenza

Take GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. It Purifies and Enriches the Blood. It Builds up and Strengthens the Whole System. It Fortifies the System Against Colds, Grip and Influenza. Price 60c.

Plant your pansy beds now.—Ada Greenhouse. 3-10-1f

NOTICE. We request that all parties who have left electric fans with the Unique Electric Co. to call and leave instructions covering the repairs that are to be made.—Unique Electric Company. 3-11-2t

## TEXAS LANDS WILL LACK CULTIVATION

FORT WORTH, Tex., March 11.—Thousands of acres of fertile Texas land are not being put under cultivation this year because of the high cost of labor, augmented by the "enormous" wages paid by oil companies in west Texas, according to D. E. Lyday, president of the Texas Farmers Union. Unseasonal rains also have been a strong factor in lessening this year's acreage, he said.

Owing to the high wages demanded by farm labor, Mr. Lyday declared, there would be a loss to the producer even in gathering crops still in the field. This was particularly true in the western and southern portions of the state.

Children who have worms are pale, cross, fretful, and sickly most of the time. To rid the little body of these parasites WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE is an approved remedy. When the worms have been driven out the child grows strong, healthy and robust. Sold by Bart Smith.

Kansas Stork Is Busy CONCORDIA, Kans., March 12.—The stork has been generous in his last two visits to Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown of Blue Rapids. A year ago he left the Browns twin boys. Recently Mrs. Brown gave birth to triplets—girls weighing six pounds each.



## Has Raised a New Standard for Baking Powder

Because it is made in the most careful and scientific manner from absolutely pure materials that remain pure in the baking and insure wholesome, healthful foods.

Because it possesses the greatest leavening power.

Because it is not affected by time or weather—it never loses its strength and never fails.

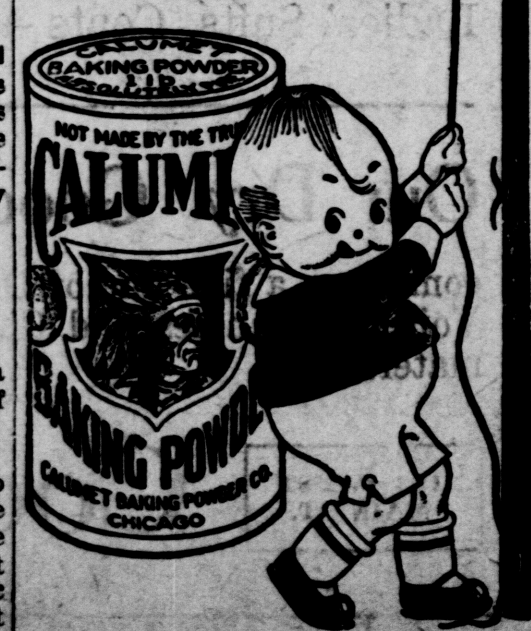
Because it is most economical—you save when you buy it and you save when you use it.

These are the reasons why Calumet is the standard baking powder—the choice of millions—more being sold than of any other brand.

Try it—always buy it. Your grocer can supply you.

Calumet contains only such ingredients as have been approved officially by the U. S. Food Authorities.

HIGHEST QUALITY AWARDS



CHRISTMAS EVE.

"Ah," said the Christmas tree, "I am going to be decorated by Santa Claus. That is such a great, great honor. Now I understand that many trees cannot have that honor."

"They shouldn't grumble, of course, when they can't have it, for they know that sometimes Santa Claus has so much to do he cannot possibly trim so many trees and he asks the mothers and daddies to help him."

"But I am going to be trimmed by Santa Claus, and I am proud. I will stand so straight when he comes. My head just reaches the ceiling and I am standing between boards which hold me securely. Ropes are also fastened to the floor and so I will not fall."

"Ah, Santa Claus will admire me when he sees me, and I will be so proud."

The tree was whispering to the coals which were still quite bright in the fireplace.

The coals crackled and smiled and sputtered and laughed.

"Oh," they said, "we aren't going out entirely until Santa Claus comes. We are going to help him warm his hands for it is very cold outside."

"He is coming down the chimney in the other room. The fire has been put out there and Santa knows that is the one for him to come down. He has come down that chimney for years and years and years. The



"You're a Beauty."

house, you know, is over a hundred years old and there have been many children living here.

"Some of the children I used to know are grown-ups now, and some are quite, quite old. But how they smile as they sit before me and talk of the days when they were young and when Santa Claus brought them presents and filled their stockings."

"How he loves children," they say, and they smile straight at me!

"Trees which can be used for Christmas trees have always been honored, haven't they?"

"Yes," said the Christmas tree, "but hush! I believe I hear a sound from the next room."

"Oh, can it be Santa Claus?" said the coals. "Every year we get just as excited as if it hadn't been the same sort of an event for years and years, but we, ourselves, haven't been here before. Our family though has been here to help warm Santa Claus' hands, and they tell the coals to tell all the other coals, 'Remember when Christmas time comes and when it is Christmas Eve you must help warm Santa Claus' hands.' So we remember. Hush! Here he comes."

"Oh, I am so excited," said the Christmas tree.

Just then Santa Claus entered the room. "Well," he said, "I almost thought I had grown too fat for that chimney but I've always been on good terms with chimneys and they always let me through." He laughed a gay, jolly, merry laugh and looked up at the Christmas tree.

"Oh, you're a beauty," he said. "The nice warm coals too," he added, and warmed his hands over the embers.

"We're making him warm," they said as they crackled with glee.

"And we're going to help him to make Christmas so gay and wonderful," said the branches of Christmas tree. "We will bend just a little as he puts the toys upon us, but not too much, no, not too much."

"I must fill these stockings," Santa said, "and oh, good! Here are some letters from the children. It's too late to give them other presents from the ones they've already asked for. But I hope—I hope—yes! They've said it. The dears have wished in these letters a merry Christmas to their old friend Santa Claus. That warms my heart as the bright coals warm my hands."

So Santa Claus set to work and how fast he did work, for he had many, many visits to make.

But all the time he was smiling to himself and every little time he would laugh a low and happy laugh, "Oh, the precious dears," he said to himself, "they wished their old friend Santa Claus a merry Christmas!"

Expect Good Will.

Do not go through life, fearful all the time of hurting someone's feelings, or offending others without intending to do so. Have your thoughts so full of making friends, so set on good-will, that the negative side, the fear of making enemies, will hardly occur to you.—Gir's Companion.

## MANY GERMANS FIND REFUGE IN HOLLAND

By News' Special Service:

THE HAGUE, March 1.—(Delayed.)—There is great activity in the real estate market at The Hague and in Amsterdam due to the influx of Germans, the names of some of whom are to be found in the war criminals' list. The grand duke of Hesse, who with eight others not yet identified, but who are known to be on the list, has just purchased a sumptuous home here and is having it handily furnished for early residence. Meanwhile other titled Germans are pouring into Holland for indefinite residence, or at least, to remain here until the trial storm has passed. The purchase by the grand duke of Hesse, however, is the only one officially confirmed.

## KIDDIE'S CROUP MUST BE CHECKED

Dr. King's New Discovery will do that very thing, easy and quickly

DON'T say, "Poor little youngster—I wish I knew what to do for you!" Just give a little Dr. King's New Discovery as directed and the croupy-cough won't linger.

A cold is not to be fooled with. Get after it at once. Loosen the congestion, the phlegm-stuffiness, and the throat-torture. A family remedy for colds, coughs, grippe, and kindred attacks. Fifty years a friend to cold-sufferers. Fifty years of highest quality. 60c. and \$1.20 a bottle—all druggists.

## Bowels on Schedule Time

—the bile flowing freely, the fermenting body poisons eliminated. Dr. King's New Life Pills make the bowels function regularly and keep the system cleansed of gaseous impurities. 25c. a bottle, all druggists.

Dutch officials, when asked whether any measures would be taken to prevent the entrance into Holland of these war guilty German and how the Dutch government proposed to meet possible objections by the allies, said there could be no objections to any person residing in Holland so long as he obeyed the entrance regulations and comported himself properly. They said that in so far as extradition was concerned they would not cross the hypothetical bridge until they came to it, but believed that if Germany would automatically be honored, as Germany has the right to demand her own nationals. However, opinion in Holland has minimized the possibility of any difficulty in this connection and of the possibility of the Germans higher up ever being tried.

## How Dad Suffered

Chilled all over one minute, and burning with fever the next. Then he learned of this famous old remedy—and he's been fine ever since. The Doctors' Prescription 60c at All Dealers.

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Have you made selection of the new suit or coat? Have you the new blouse, the new gloves and the other things that custom expects of you on Easter Sunday?

In all departments of this store we're prepared to give you efficient service in the selection of wearing apparel for Spring and to deliver in time for Easter. Right now the collections of Suits and Coats are at their best and offer splendid values in a variety of styles, colors and materials.

Just received the new styles in eyelet ties, Pumps and Oxford.

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## MUTT AND JEFF— Jeff Is Gonna Beat the High Cost of Up-Keep.

By H. C. FISHER



## Want Ads

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Lots. Mrs. Wintersmith 2-20-4f.

FOR SALE—Five room house. S. B. Dameron, phone 616. 3-4-4f

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A Velle 5-passenger car in good condition.—John P. McKinley. 3-11-4f

FOR SALE CHEAP—Horse, wagon, plow and dumpboards. 517 West Third Street. 3-11-4f

FOR SALE—Few good lots, three blocks north of Normal, East 7th street. Priced to sell. B. F. Sullivan. 2-4-4f

FOR SALE—I have a few nice young Duroc-Jersey pigs for sale. Pedigrees furnished free. Phone 625 Joe Rushing. 2-28-4f

FOR SALE—Nice Jersey cow calf 10 days old. Can be seen at 7th and Mississippi. 3-5-84d\*

FOR SALE—Three of best lots in Chickasaw Addition, also lot on East 9th, two blocks of Harris Hotel.—C. G. Bradford. 3-8-4f

FOR SALE—A desirable 5 room house on E. Main St. For particulars call 112. 3-2-4f

FOR SALE—Good business lot with frame building on East Main St.; building drawing good rent. Drummond & Alderson, phone 333. 3-4-4f

FOR SALE—My home place located 125 North Hope, 70 feet frontage, 5 room plastered house, hall, large concrete cellar under house, garage, servant's house, barn, chicken yard, screened in front and back porch, electric lights, city water, gas, cement walks, 2 closets, bath, modern in every way, possession March 15, Price \$5,000.00 and \$1,500 cash will handle property. Phone 714 or call at office, North Broadway for appointment to see house. Fred F. Brydia. 2-27-4f d&w.

## MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Your cleaning and pressing. Miller Bros. 2-2-4f

TO GIVE AWAY—Dirt next to Telephone Building. Granger and Granger, Phone 212. 3-11-4f

KODAK FINISHING—Pictures 3 cts. each. Mail films to the Jenkins Studio, Denison, Texas, Box 332. 3-8-20\*

TREES SPRAYED—We are in a position to spray your trees or shrubbery at reasonable prices. Telephone 111 or see W. F. McKaskle at harness shop. 3-12-6f\*

STRAYED—Two duroc-Jersey boar shoats, weight about 160 ad 130 pounds each. Strayed from my farm four miles north of Ada, six weeks ago. Reward for return. N. T. McAllister. 3-11-4f d&w

FOR SALE OR RENT—Ten acres of land, fenced in hog wire, with four room house. Immediate possession. This land is on West Main Street, 440 yards west of the Glenwood school.—John P. McKinley. 3-11-4f

FOR SALE—5 passenger Dodge in good shape, \$560.—Grant Irwin, phone 2. 3-10-3f

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## Want Ads

## FOR SALE

## FOR QUICK SALE

1 Living Room suite, Tapestry.  
1 Dining Room Suite, Oak.  
1 Bedroom Suite, Mahogany  
2 Heat-rs and a few household articles.

J. COOPER ROBERTSON  
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OIL LEASE! CHEAP  
120 acres lease runs five years, 1-4 miles from well in Sec. 24, 4 east. Must take by Saturday evening as am leaving town. See A. L. Willis, Harris Hotel. 3-12-1f\*

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. Telephone 686. 3-11-4f

FOR RENT—Furnished front bedroom, ground floor. Modern conveniences. 215 East 13th St. 3-10-4f

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, one extra large. No children. 618 West 15th, phone 651. 3-10-3f

FOR RENT—Room furnished for light housekeeping. 420 East Main Street, Phone 619. 3-3-4f

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished for light housekeeping. 231 East 14th. Phone 865. 2-23-4f

LOST—A large brown and yellow male Collie with white markings, also leather collar on. Reward. Please notify Mrs. Clay Jones, Roff, Oklahoma. 3-9-4f\*

LOST—Some one by mistake took from the Rgd Cross Drug store, one large leather hand bag containing set Hastings books (3) and numerous papers with the name of L. T. Wilson on them. A reward of \$10 will be paid for the delivery of said grip to the News office. 3-10-3f\*

WANTED—To buy—Young heifer calf. Phone 171. 3-11-3f d

WANTED TO SELL—Reed baby buggy. Phone 717. 3-11-4f

WANTED—Laundry work or any kind of work for women. Call Mrs. Parks, phone 619. 2-25-4f

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## The State Press

Shawnee News: Up Kansas way even the occupation of bank cashier seems to be hazardous just now.

Tulsa World: Mr. Oscar Ameringer of Milwaukee advises the coal miners to vote as they strike. Whatever that may mean.

Cheerful assurance from government officials that other nations have a higher h. c. l. than we do, doesn't make the weekly payroll reach a bit farther.—McAlester News-Capital.

Europe is about to get from the federal grain corporation, on credit, 5,000,000 barrels of American flour. Wouldn't it be glorious if we Americans could get a little credit on a few sacks of this flour?—Vinita Journal.

The coming round-up of 173,911 draft evaders carried on the war department's records as deserters, seems belated, but is just. If the Bergdolls are liable to arrest and punishment, all the others should be also.—Ardmoreite.

Those early birds that began their songfest a few days ago rolled up in a ball and tucked their heads under their wings last night, no doubt disheartened that mating time has been deferred and worms refused to be gobbled up early.—Durant Democrat.

Muskogee Times Democrat: The packers offer to "co-operate" with the national farm bureau federation. But the farmers want more pay for their livestock.

Muskogee Times Democrat: The country correspondent who sends in those items to the effect that "the sick are all about the same," need not feel that nature ever marked her out for a journalistic career.

Muskogee Phoenix: James Hamilton Lewis has renominated President Wilson by acclamation. Still, it will be well, perhaps, to hold the San Francisco convention.

Muskogee Phoenix: As the layman gathers it, Gov. Edwards of New Jersey believes, personally, in total abstinence but thinks that a man ought to have some credit for it himself. In other words, he is for self-determination of thirsts.

Tulsa World: Lloyd George informs parliament that he will not transfer the British West Indies to the United States in payment of a part of Britain's war debt. "Because the people of those islands are sincerely attached to the crown and proud to be in the empire." No such

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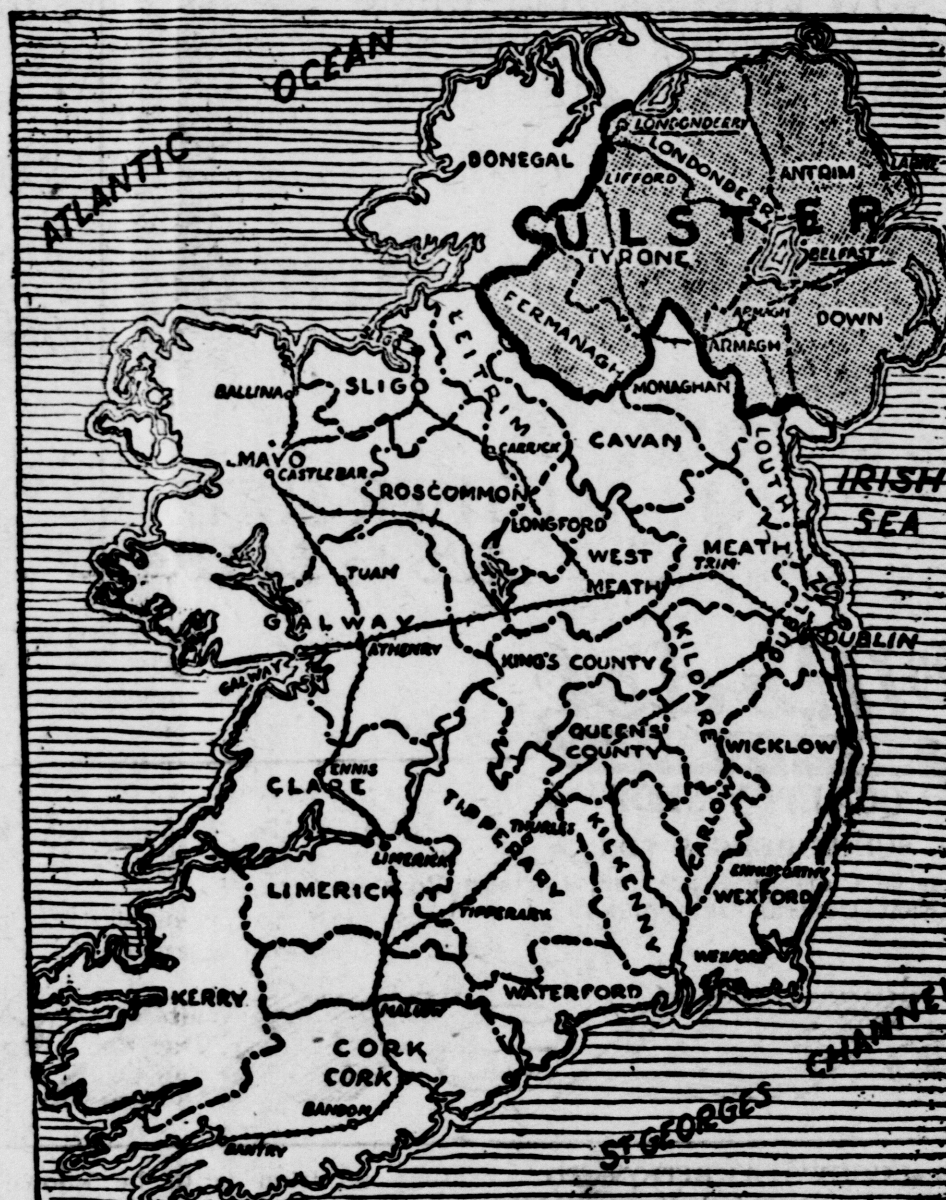
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## WHAT HOME RULE MEANS IN IRELAND



Shaded portion of map shows new Ulster

The new home rule bill for Ireland provides that Ulster shall consist of the counties of Antrim, Armagh, Down, Fermanagh, Londonderry and Tyrone and the boroughs of Belfast and Londonderry. Ulster will have a parliament separate from the south of Ireland.

excuse can be offered with respect to another island somewhat closer to England—would the esteemed premier consider transferring title to that? When Senator Owen is nominated by the democrats for president, and it looks as if he has a good chance, the Journal would like to see Congressmen Hastings of this district elected to the senate to fill Mr. Owen's place. With Scott Ferris and Bill Hastings in the U. S. senate Oklahoma will have a couple of brainy live wires looking after her interests in Washington that can't be beat.—Eufaula Journal.

## HUNGARY "BUT A SHADOW OF FORMER SELF"



Map shows Hungary before the war and today, key indicating old and new territory.

The frontiers of Hungary, as fixed in accordance with the new treaty of peace, are so drawn as to exclude nearly all the mountains and hills country from the dominions of the Magyars. Their rich and fertile plain left to them, but even of this certain districts are withdrawn in favor of the autonomous Ruthenian districts of Czechoslovakia in the north, of Jugo-Slavia in the south, and of Rumania in the southeast. The map gives an idea of the change.

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No. 19—Ar. Daily — 4:10 P. M.  
No. 15—Ar. Daily — 4:55 A. M.

Santa Fe Railroad  
EAST

No. 450—Lv. Daily — 3:30 P. M.  
No. 446—Ar. Daily — 1:50 P. M.

WEST  
No. 449—Lv. Daily — 11:00 A. M.  
No. 445—Lv. Daily — 3:00 P. M.

Frisco Railroad.  
NORTH

No. 118—Lv. Daily — 4:00 A. M.  
No. 510—Lv. Daily — 11:38 A. M.

No. 512—Lv. Daily — 4:45 P. M.  
(Leaves from here.)

SOUTH  
No. 511—Ar. Daily — 1:55 P. M.  
No. 117—Ar. Daily — 11:40 P. M.

No. 507—Ar. Daily — 7:10 P. M.  
(Stops here.)

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THERE'S SOME good excuse.  
IN ALMOST every case.  
TAKE EGGS.  
FOR EXAMPLE.  
AND AT first thought.  
IT WOULD seem.  
ALMOST OUTRAGEOUS.  
TO HAVE to pay.  
ALMOST TEN cents.  
FOR AN egg.  
BUT WHEN you stop.  
AND CONSIDER.  
THAT AN egg represents.  
A HEN'S work.  
FOR A day.  
IT SEEMS mighty cheap.  
AND FURTHERMORE.  
I'M WILLING to bet.  
THAT YOU can't find.  
A SINGLE chicken.  
IN THE CITY of Ada.

WHO WOULD be willing.  
TO WORK all day.  
FOR TEN cents.  
BUT AFTER all.  
PRICES IS prices.  
AND THAT'S the reason.  
WHY IT is considered.  
AN OSTENTATIOUS display.  
OF WEALTH for a man.  
TO GO down the street.  
ON A morning.  
WITH EGG stains.  
ON THE front.  
OF HIS shirt.  
AND IT would seem.  
THAT THE only chance.  
THAT WE have.  
FOR MAKING prices.  
GO DOWN.  
IS TO make the hens.  
LAY TWO or three eggs.  
EACH DAY.  
AND EVERYBODY else.  
IS WORKING extra.  
SO WHY shouldn't they.  
I THANK you.

## POLITICAL SURVEY OF OKLA. TODAY

FUTURE FRAUGHT WITH MANY  
POSSIBILITIES—MANY CHAN-  
GES DUE AT THE NEXT  
ELECTION.

Special to the News:  
OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 8.—Pol-  
itics in Oklahoma in 1920 offers  
many interesting contests. Both  
parties are rapidly getting in shape  
for the big fight of the summer  
and with few exceptions interesting  
struggles for party nominations are  
materializing for every office to be  
filled this year.

With Senator Robert L. Owen  
avidly in the race for the demo-  
cratic nomination for the presiden-  
cy, a three cornered fight for the  
nomination for United States sena-  
tor on the democratic ticket, a bat-  
tle royal for the republican nomi-  
nation for national committeeman,  
there is sufficient interest to provide  
material for columns of gossip.

In addition to the presidential and  
senatorial nominations Oklahoma  
will elect eight congressmen, three  
members of the state supreme court  
and one member of the criminal  
court of appeals.

In the first congressional district  
there has thus far been no mention  
of opposition to E. B. Howard, dem-  
ocrat, within his own party, and the  
same is true of W. W. Hastings,  
democrat, who represents the second  
district. Charles D. Carter of the  
third district may have opposition  
in the person of J. B. Fleming of  
Poteau, member of the state senate,  
but there are few who believe that  
Carter will have any considerable  
difficulty in securing a place on the  
ticket. J. T. McIntosh of Durant,  
has been spoken of, but recently  
declared emphatically that he will  
not be a candidate.

In the fifth district J. W. Harrell,  
republican, of Oklahoma City, was  
elected at a special election in No-  
vember to succeed the late Joseph  
B. Thompson of Pauls Valley. Rumor  
has it that Harrell is listening in-  
tently to the siren's voice and may  
conclude to become a candidate for  
the nomination for United States  
senator; if this prove untrue he is  
likely to be a candidate to succeed  
himself, in fact, few believe that  
Harrell will let go of his congress-  
ional seat until he has been ousted  
by someone who gets more votes  
than he does next November. Among  
the democrats there is a flock of  
aspirants, as there was in the spe-  
cial primary in October. The an-  
nouncement of Judge F. B. Swank  
of Norman, coupled with the state-  
ment that he will have no opposition  
in his judicial district, eliminates  
several who had been counted as  
possibilities. Jep Knight of Wynne-  
wood and Henry H. Carr of Pauls  
Valley filed for the special primary,  
although Carr withdrew to manage  
the campaign of Claude Weaver who  
was nominated but defeated by Har-  
rell. W. H. Woods of Purcell, E. E.  
Glascio, also a Purcell resident, and  
a member of the state house of  
representatives, are among those  
who live in Swank's district. Dr.  
Charles Evans, E. J. Giddings and  
William Franklin, the latter clerk of  
the state supreme court, and all  
residents of Oklahoma City, are  
avowedly candidates to succeed Har-  
rell.

In the sixth district Congressman  
Farris, who with Attorney General  
Freeling is out to wrest the senator-  
ial toga from Gore, leaves the con-  
gressional district to another flock  
of aspirants. State Senator J. Elmer  
Thomas of Lawton and District  
Judge Cham Jones of Waurika are

admittedly the principal figures in  
the sixth district race.  
To the present Congressman Jim  
McClintic in the seventh has clear  
sailing, and Dick T. Morgan, rep-  
ublican, in the eighth, is not likely  
to find opposition in his own party  
and the probability of a democrat  
defeating him in that district is con-  
sidered remote.


Among the republicans the stren-  
uous fight between Jim McGraw and  
Jake Hamon for the national com-  
mitteemanship is the central contest  
at present, although the senatorial  
race is beginning to take shape. To  
present, however, all G. O. P. sena-  
torial aspirants are side-stepping an  
out and out declaration of candi-  
dacy. Among those whose names  
are connected with this contest are  
Congressman Harrell, Roy M.  
Johnson of Ardmore, Jim Harris,  
who was said recently to have elimi-  
nated himself from the national  
committeeman race, State Senator  
John Golobie of Guthrie, H. H.  
Rogers and A. A. Small of Tulsa,  
and Major Harry Gistrap of Chand-  
ler.

J. S. Mabon of Miami, republican,  
has come forward with an announce-  
ment of his candidacy for congress  
from the first district. That there  
will be an entire congressional rep-  
ublican ticket no one doubts, but  
the opinion is that the first, fifth  
and eighth districts are those in  
which G. O. P. leaders are center-  
ing their hopes of success.

The terms of the following mem-  
bers of the state supreme court ex-  
pire this year: R. W. Higgins of  
McAlester, Frank M. Bailey of  
Chickasha, who succeeded Justice  
J. F. Sharp, and Robert M. Rainey  
of Atoka. It is presumed that each  
of these will be candidates to suc-  
ceed themselves but to the present  
they have made no announcements  
and thus far none has been seriously  
mentioned as their probable oppo-  
nents. The increase from \$4,000 to  
\$6,000 a year in the pay of justices  
of the state supreme court may  
prove an attraction to others.

Justice James R. Armstrong of  
Boswell is likely to be a candidate  
for re-election to a seat on the  
bench of the state criminal court  
of appeals. Tom W. Neal, a Poteau  
lawyer, who was a candidate for  
the democratic nomination for con-  
gress in the fifth district in 1918,  
has declared he will ask the nomi-  
nation to succeed Justice Armstrong.  
R. E. Echols, member of the state  
corporation commission, who was ap-  
pointed by Governor Robertson to  
fill out the unexpired term of Com-

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subject, made the astonishing state-  
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mon to the American people, and  
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missioner W. D. Humphreys of  
Nowata, resigned, will be a candi-  
date for re-election. It is said that  
Fred Parkinson, state examiner and  
inspector, aspires to this honor.

The terms of all district judges  
in the state expire in 1922. All mem-  
bers of the house of representatives  
are elected for a term of two years  
and these terms expire with the  
close of 1920. The terms of the fol-  
lowing state senators expire Jan. 1,  
1921, and their successors are to be  
chosen at the August primary and  
November general election this year:  
Democrats: Arthur Leach, Sayre;  
G. L. Wilson, Mangum; R. L. Knie,  
Cordell; R. L. Hall, Pawhuska; T.  
B. Hogg, Shawnee; Warren K.  
Snyder, Oklahoma City; Frank Car-  
penter, Bridgeport; J. Elmer Thom-  
as, Lawton; Fred E. Tucker, Ard-  
more; Jep Knight, Wynnewood; J.  
T. McIntosh, Durant; C. W. Board,  
Okemah; W. C. McAllister, Hugo;  
John S. Vaughn, Kingston; Eugene  
M. Kerr, Muskogee; T. L. Rider,  
Stillwell; J. J. Smith, Afton; and S.  
L. Johnson, Okmulgee. Republicans:  
Eugene Watrous, Enid; Tom Tester-  
man, Morrison; John Golobie, Guth-  
rie; H. Brown, Watonga.

Unless he should resign in order  
to devote at this time to the sena-  
torial contest, the term of S. P. Free-  
ling, attorney general, does not ex-  
pire until 1922 and it is not consid-  
ered likely that he will step out at  
least until after the primary, but  
two announcements of candidates  
for the democratic nomination for

attorney general have been made.  
They are by State Senator E. F. Hill  
of McAlester, and Earl Foster of  
Sapulpa, formerly county attorney  
of Creek county.

## The Basket Ball Season in Full Swing Everywhere Now

By the Associated Press

AMES, Iowa, Jan. 9.—On the  
basket ball court at the Iowa State  
College at Ames tonight will be  
fought out the first phase of the  
campaign for the 1920 basketball  
title of the Missouri Valley confer-  
ence. The Tigers of the University  
of Missouri will meet the Iowa Ag-  
gies in the first contest of a 2-game  
series.

Basketball fans have been reticent  
as to the strength of the various  
valley teams, preferring to await  
the results of the first few encoun-  
ters. The power of the 1919 Mis-  
souri football machine, however, is  
being pointed to as an indication of  
what may be expected of after-the-  
war athletic teams of that institu-  
tion.

The conference season will be in  
full swing the latter part of this  
month. Six teams will clash the  
night of January 16 and again the  
next night. This follows the valley  
practice of playing 2-game series  
in basketball. These games are:  
Washington University vs. Missouri  
at St. Louis; Ames vs. Kansas Uni-  
versity at Lawrence; the Kansas  
Aggies vs. Grinnell at Manhattan.

The University of Oklahoma will  
receive its official "baptism of fire"  
in Missouri Valley conference ath-  
letics in the basketball season. The  
institution was voted into the con-  
ference at the meeting of the board  
of directors here in December. The  
Sooners, however, for several years

have scheduled games with valley  
conference teams, and the Oklahoma  
brand of sport is not unheralded.

The conference now is composed  
of the following institutions:  
Drake, Grinnell College, Iowa  
State College, Kansas Aggies, Kan-  
sas University, Missouri University,  
Oklahoma University and Wash-  
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## Tarwater to Trial For the Murder of A Missouri Editor

By the Associated Press

GALLATIN, Mo., Jan. 9.—Hugh  
Y. Tarwater, city clerk, charged  
with the slaying of Wesley L. Rob-  
ertson, veteran editor of the Gallatin  
Democrat, will be given a prelimi-  
nary hearing at Gallatin January 13.  
Tarwater will be brought here from  
St. Joseph, where he has been in  
jail since Robertson was killed.

Wesley L. Robertson, 70 years  
old, and widely known in Northwest  
Missouri, was shot and killed in the  
back office of his newspaper, estab-  
lishment December 23, 1919, follow-  
ing an argument with Tarwater. Tar-

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RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 654,248.76
Overdrafts	2,860.30
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	3,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,000.00
Real Estate	1,586.39
Bonds and Certificates of Indebted- ness	\$ 33,446.42
Bills of Exchange (C)	393,702.36
Cash and Sight Exchange	244,763.68
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,338,607.91</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Earned	50,000.00
Reserved for Unearned Interest	891.76
Rediscouts	6,500.00
Deposits	1,281,216.15
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,338,607.91</b>

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## EXPECT LARGEST ENDEAVOR CROWD

By News' Special Service:

TULSA, March 11.—An attendance of 1,500 delegates will be the goal of the 30th annual Christian Endeavor convention in Muskogee June 14-17, according to Miss Emma McClaren of Tulsa, state president, who presided at the conference of state executives held in Tulsa Sunday. The original attendance goal was 1,000, but 550 Christian Endeavorers have already registered for the convention and the prospects are more than promising for an attendance of 1,500. The convention will be called the Hilltop convention and it will be the largest gathering in the history of the movement in this state.

In accordance with the program adopted at the last national convention, the theme of the state convention will be loyalty to Christ, to the church and to the Christian Endeavor pledge. A tentative program

for the state convention which has been outlined includes the following speakers: Dr. Ira Landrith, executive secretary of the United Christian Endeavor Society; E. P. Gates, general secretary of the society; W. Roy Breg, associate secretary of the Southwestern Christian Endeavor Federation; Clarence C. Hamilton, field representative of the "Christian Endeavor World;" Miss Jessie Guider Butts, Texas field secretary for the Christian Endeavor; and Paul Brown of Los Angeles, Cal., national intermediate superintendent.

Christian Endeavor societies in western Oklahoma will be visited in the interest of the convention between March 12 and 28 by Mr. Cecil, associate secretary of the Southwest Christian Endeavor federation. Mr. Cecil's itinerary is Snyder, Lawton, Chickasha, Stratford, Ada, Okmulgee, Yukon, Watonga, Hobart, Cherokee, Pond Creek and Mutual.

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Thus it is with Miss Leola Lucey, the popular cabaret star who will appear in a concert Tuesday night. Miss Lucey has made a special study of Irish history, Irish folk songs and Irish folk lore, and her

great ambition is to be known as "The Irish Soprano." If perseverance and very great ambition, added to her natural gift will accomplish this end, Miss Lucey will find her reward at no distant date. Ada is more than fortunate to have the privilege of hearing Miss Lucey, and you may be sure she will not neglect to put some of her much loved Irish songs on her program for Tuesday night.

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## CHILD IN YEARS IS SOLD IN MARRIAGE

By News' Special Service:

NASHVILLE, March 11.—Will the brutal "sale" of little Florence Lambert, 11, to be the wife of Ben B. Zumbro, 45, forever harden the girl's heart against love and frighten her from marriage?

Charity workers here confess they do not know. Her mother doesn't care, she says, and the minister-blacksmith who "married" the two thinks all the agitation "the meddling of people down on us poor folks."

The case was brought to the attention of Lifton Hickman, judge of the county court, who, after conference with Attorney General G. B. Kirkpatrick, characterized the affair as one of the most revolting and pitiful he had ever known. He said he would use every means to prosecute those who had anything to do with forcing the child into "marriage." Annulment proceedings will be started.

As for poor little "Mrs. Zumbro," she says, and likes it better at the United Charities home because her "husband" fussed with her.

Florence, who wears her dresses no lower than her knees and is of childlike face and figure, was "married" by fraud. She was a ward of the industrial home and was given leave to attend the funeral of her sister. While on this leave her mother, Mrs. Lulu Lambert, signed a marriage license asserting the girl was 16 and the "groom" 35. Zumbro, it is said, promised money to the mother.

The Rev. W. S. Yarbrough, who says he is a Baptist minister but "not working at it," "married" the pair in the presence of 20 people. He believed the license, he says, and didn't notice that the child had all the appearances of extreme youth, and wore short dresses.

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